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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

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Sir:

Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached forms PTO-1449 and PTO-892.

Some of the listed references are of record in parent Application No. 09/992,584 filed November 6, 2001, and copies are available therein.

Applicants wish to make of record the 14 references marked with an asterisk which are cited on attached forms PTO-1449 (sheets 1/9, 4/9, 5/9, 8/9, and 9/9) which are copied from grand-parent application 09/284,391 (now USP 6,475,519). Copies of these references are not enclosed since they are available to the Examiner in said grand-parent application.


Applicants wish to make of record Applications No. 09/690,400, October 17, 2000 (now USP 6,258,808); 09/668,677, September 22, 2000 (abandoned, now 09/738,104, December 15, 2000, pending); 09/637,260, August 11, 2000 (abandoned, now 10/427,861, May 1, 2003, pending); and 09/724,526, November 28, 2000 (now USP 6,503,526). A copy of each application was provided in said grand-parent application and is not enclosed.

Applicants also wish to make of record the reference newly cited on attached form PTO-1449, a copy of which is enclosed.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO forms.

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	AD	4,073,943	2/14/78	Wretlind et al.	424	358	
	AE	4,146,499	3/27/79	Rosano	252	186	
	AF	4,156,719	5/29/79	Sezaki et al.	424	177	
	AG	4,388,307	6/14/83	Cavanak	424	177	
	AH	4,567,161	1/28/86	Posanski et al.	424	199	
	AI	4,571,926	2/25/86	Scully	53	525	
	AI	4,695,450	9/22/87	Bauer et al.	424	168	
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	AD	4,390,548	6/1993	Yamato et al	564	98	
	AE	4,482,576	11/13/84	Boot et al.	426	603	
	AF	4,652,406	3/24/87	Lepper et al.	260	410.9	
	AG	4,990,337	2/5/91	Kurihara et al.	424	427	
	AH	5,051,402	9/24/91	Kurihara et al.	514	11	
	AI	5,206,219	4/27/93	Desai	514	3	
	AJ	5,338,761	8/16/94	Nakajima et al.	514	772	
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